GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Arrears/Payments under PMGSY
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the status of the implementation of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) in the country.

(b) whether the funds provided in the last five years are at par with the sanctioned amount and work done in the country, if so, the details thereof: and

(c) whether huge arrears/payments are to be made to the agencies or contractor involved/engaged in the said project, if so, the details thereof and the steps being taken by the Government in this regard, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a)to(c): 'Rural Roads' is a State subject and Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is a one-time special intervention to provide rural connectivity, by way of a single all-weather road, to the eligible unconnected habitations in the core network. Projects under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) are executed by State Governments through their designated agencies i.e. State Rural Roads Development Agencies (SRRDAs) at the State level and Project Implementation Units (PIUs) at the district level . The Ministry of Rural Development has sanctioned project proposals of 1,44,336 no. of road works, covering a length of 4,56,117 km amounting to Rs. 1,83,596 crore so far. The Ministry has already released Rs. 1,28,799 crore, against which the States/UTs have reported an expenditure of Rs 1,37,995 crore (upto November, 2015). Year-wise details of amount sanctioned and work done under PMGSY during the last five years are as under:

Financial Progress (Rs in crore) Physical Progress
Year Proposal Funds Expenditure Habitations Length
cleared released incurred covered (in no) constructed (in km)

2010-11 6533 20366 14911 7497 45109

2011-12 9188 15809 10946 6537 30994

2012-13 27014 4389 8387 6864 24161

2013-14 31076 5360 13095 6560 25316

2014-15 2355 9960 16538 10830 36337

The project proposals under PMGSY are executed by the States. It is the responsibility of the Executing Agencies to ensure timely payments to the contractors, subject to satisfactory execution of work.

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